

## Committee Meetings

(Committees not listed did not meet)

### HOUSING NEEDS OF AMERICA'S SENIORS

*Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine addressing the housing needs of America's seniors, focusing on affordability and accessibility, including S. 567, to provide for conservation and economic development in the State of Nevada, after receiving testimony from Jennifer Molinsky, Harvard Joint Center for Housing Studies, Cambridge, Massachusetts; Audra Hamernik, Nevada HAND, Las Vegas; and Thomas Wade, American Action Forum, Norbert J. Michel, Cato Institute, and Shannon Guzman, AARP, all of Washington, D.C.

### DOMESTIC CRITICAL MINERAL MINING

*Committee on Energy and Natural Resources:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine the opportunities and challenges facing domestic critical mineral mining, processing, refining, and reprocessing, after receiving testimony from Steven M. Fortier, Director, National Minerals Information Center, Geological Survey, Department of the Interior; Scott Melbye, Uranium Producers of America, Corpus Christi, Texas; Julie Padilla, Twin Metals Minnesota, St. Paul; Abigail Wulf, Securing America's Future Energy, Washington, D.C.; and Paul Ziemkiewicz, West Virginia University, Morgantown.

### TRADE POLICY AGENDA

*Committee on Finance:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine the President's 2022 trade policy agenda, after receiving testimony from Katherine Tai, U.S. Trade Representative.

### CHINA'S ROLE IN LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN

*Committee on Foreign Relations:* Subcommittee on Western Hemisphere, Transnational Crime, Civilian Security, Democracy, Human Rights, and Global Women's Issues concluded a hearing to examine China's role in Latin America and the Caribbean, after receiving testimony from Kerri Hannan, Deputy Assistant Secretary of State for Bureau of Western Hemisphere Affairs; Peter Natiello, Senior Deputy Assistant Administrator, Bureau of Latin American and Caribbean Affairs, U.S. Agency for International Development; Andrew Herscowitz, Chief Development Officer, U.S. International Development Finance Corporation; and Margaret Myers, Inter-American Dialogue, and R. Evan Ellis, Center for Strategic and International Studies, both of Washington, D.C.

### NOMINATIONS

*Committee on Homeland Security and Governmental Affairs:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine the nominations of Derek Kan, of California, and Daniel Mark Tangherlini, of the District of Columbia, both to be a Governor of the United States Postal Service, after the nominees testified and answered questions in their own behalf.

### PREVENTING TRAGEDIES

*Special Committee on Aging:* Committee concluded a hearing to examine preventing tragedies and promoting safe, accessible, and affordable homes, after receiving testimony from Anand K. Parekh, Bipartisan Policy Center, Washington, D.C.; Denise Cleveland-Leggett, The Integral Group, Atlanta, Georgia; Tracey Kelly, IKEA USA, Trappe, Pennsylvania; and Janet McGee, Parents Against Tip-overs, Eagan, Minnesota.

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# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 47 public bills, H.R. 7307–7353; and 4 resolutions, H. Con. Res. 83–84; and H. Res. 1018–1019, were introduced. **Pages H4071–73**

**Additional Cosponsors:** **Pages H4074–75**

**Reports Filed:** Reports were filed today as follows:

H. Res. 1017, providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 3617) to decriminalize and deschedule

cannabis, to provide for reinvestment in certain persons adversely impacted by the War on Drugs, to provide for expungement of certain cannabis offenses, and for other purposes; providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 6833) to amend title XXVII of the Public Health Service Act, the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, and the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to establish requirements with respect to cost-sharing for certain insulin products, and for other purposes; and for other purposes (H. Rept. 117–285);

H.R. 1218, to require the Federal Communications Commission to incorporate data on maternal health outcomes into its broadband health maps, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–286); and

H.R. 2501, to require the National Telecommunications and Information Administration and the Federal Communications Commission to update the memorandum of understanding on spectrum coordination, with an amendment (H. Rept. 117–287).

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**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein she appointed Representative Cárdenas to act as Speaker pro tempore for today.

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**Recess:** The House recessed at 11:44 a.m. and reconvened at 12 noon.

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**Affordable Insulin Now Act:** The House passed H.R. 6883, to amend title XXVII of the Public Health Service Act, the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, and the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 to establish requirements with respect to cost-sharing for certain insulin products, by a yeas-and-nays vote of 232 yeas to 193 nays, Roll No. 102.

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Rejected the Bucshon motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on Energy and Commerce by a yeas-and-nays vote of 197 yeas to 225 nays, Roll No. 101.

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Pursuant to the Rule, an amendment in the nature of a substitute consisting of the text of Rules Committee Print 117–38, modified by the amendment printed in part C of H. Rept. 117–285, shall be considered as adopted.

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H. Res. 1017, the rule providing for consideration of the bills (H.R. 3617) and (H.R. 6883) was agreed to by a yeas-and-nays vote of 219 yeas to 202 nays, Roll No. 99, after the previous question was ordered by a yeas-and-nays vote of 219 yeas to 202 nays, Roll No. 98.

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**America Creating Opportunities for Manufacturing, Pre-Eminence in Technology, and Economic Strength Act of 2022:** The House agreed to the motion to instruct conferees on H.R. 4521, to provide for a coordinated Federal research initiative to ensure continued United States leadership in engineering biology, by a yeas-and-nays vote of 351 yeas to 74 nays, Roll No. 100.

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**Member Resignation:** Read a letter from Representative Vela, wherein he resigned as Representative for the Thirty-Fourth Congressional District of Texas, effective at 11:59 p.m. today, March 31, 2022.

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**Senate Referrals:** S. 442 was held at the desk. S. 3969 was held at the desk.

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**Senate Message:** Message received from the Senate today appears on pages H4009–10.

**Quorum Calls—Votes:** Five yeas-and-nays votes developed during the proceedings of today and appear on pages H4031–32, H4032–33, H4053, H4053–54, and H4054–55.

**Adjournment:** The House met at 10 a.m. and adjourned at 8:25 p.m.

## Committee Meetings

### STATE OF THE CFTC

*Committee on Agriculture:* Full Committee held a hearing entitled “State of the CFTC”. Testimony was heard from Rostin Behnam, Chairman, Commodity Futures Trading Commission.

### APPROPRIATIONS—DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Labor, Health and Human Services, Education, and Related Agencies held a budget hearing on the Department of Health and Human Services. Testimony was heard from Xavier Becerra, Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services.

### MILITARY PRIVATIZED FAMILY HOUSING

*Committee on Appropriations:* Subcommittee on Military Construction, Veterans Affairs, and Related Agencies held an oversight hearing on Military Privatized Family Housing. Testimony was heard from Cody Calderon, Private First Class, U.S. Army; Patricia Coury, Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defense for Housing, Department of Defense; Elizabeth A. Field, Director, Defense Capabilities and Management, Government Accountability Office; and public witnesses.

### UPDATES ON MODERNIZATION OF CONVENTIONAL AMMUNITION PRODUCTION

*Committee on Armed Services:* Subcommittee on Tactical Air and Land Forces held a hearing entitled “Updates on Modernization of Conventional Ammunition Production”. Testimony was heard from Douglas R. Bush, Assistant Secretary of the Army for Acquisition, Logistics and Technology (ASA(ALT)), Department of the Army; General Edward M. Daly, U.S. Army, Commanding General, Army Materiel Command; Brigadier General William M. Boruff, U.S. Army, Program Executive Officer, Joint Program Executive Office, Armaments and Ammunition; Brigadier General Gavin J. Gardner, U.S. Army, Commanding General, Joint Munitions Command; and public witnesses.